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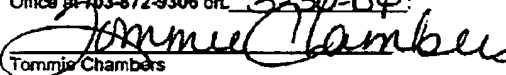
Applicant: Abbott  
Serial No: 09/514,762  
Filed: 2/28/2000  
For: DOUBLE SIDED FLEXIBLE CIRCUIT FOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PACKAGES AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

Docket No: TI-26904  
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Art Unit: 3729

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EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

<p align="center"><b>CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that the following papers are being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at 703-872-9306 on <u>3-30-04</u>:</p> <p> Tommie Chambers</p>
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Dear Sir:

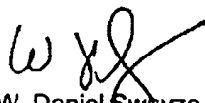
Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

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Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees, or credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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